### Louisiana Public Service Commission



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2011 Certification of Support for Rural and Non-Rural High-Cost Carriers in RE: Louisiana Pursuant to 47 C.F.R Sections 54.313-314, CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 00-256

To the Filing Representatives:

The Louisiana Public Service Commission hereby certifies that, as outlined in the attached affidavits, all federal high cost support provided to rural and non-rural carriers in this state will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with section 254 (e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This includes High Cost Loop (HCL) support, Local Switching Support (LSS), High Cost Model (HCM) support, and high cost support received pursuant to the purchase of exchanges.

Contained herein are lists of rural and non-rural carriers certified by the Louisiana Public Service Commission pursuant to sections 54.313 and 54.314 of the FCC's rules (47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313, 54.314), which require states to establish an annual certification process for rural and non-rural carriers receiving federal high cost support. As requested by the Universal Service Administrative Company, listed beside each carrier is its assigned study area code (SAC), if known. Additionally, in support of the certification,

attached are affidavits filed on behalf of the carriers. Please note that, pursuant to Louisiana Public Service Commission Order No. S-31725, issued in December 2010, Centennial Lafayette, Centennial Beauregard, Centennial Hammond, Centennial Caldwell and Centennial Morehouse relinquished their previously designated High Cost ETC designations. Accordingly, no certifications were received from those entities and they have been removed from the LPSC certification list. Similarly, Sprint/Nextel Communications filed notice in Commission Docket No. of its relinquishment of ETC designation for NPCR d/b/a Nextel Partners and Sprint Spectrum LP, and thus no certifications were received from those entities.

Name	SAC	Service Area
Lafourche Telephone Company, LLC P.O. Box 188 LaRose, LA 70373	270433	Rural
Reserve Telephone Company, Inc. P.O. Drawer T Reserve, LA 70084	270438	Rural
Star Telephone Company, Inc. 7266 Tom Drive, Suite 200 Baton Rouge, LA 70806	270441	Rural
Elizabeth Telephone Company, Inc. P.O. Box 167 Sulphur, LA 70664	270430	Rural
Cameron Telephone, Company, Inc. P.O. Box 167 Sulphur, LA 70664	270425	Rural
Campti-Pleasant Hill Telephone Compnay, Inc. P.O. Box 777 Natchitoches, LA 71458	270426	Rural
CenturyTel of Central Louisiana, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270423	Rural
CenturyTel of North Louisiana, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270436	Rural
CenturyTel of East Louisiana, LLC P.O. Box 4065	270440	Rural

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Monroe,	LA	7121	1-4065

CenturyTel of Southeast Louisiana, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270424	Rural
CenturylTel of Evangeline, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270434	Rural
CenturylTel of Southwest Louisiana, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270442	Rural
CenturyTel of Northwest Louisiana, Inc. P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270431	Rural
CenturyTel of Chatham, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270427	Rural
CenturyTel of Ringgold Louisiana, LLC P.O. Box 4065 Monroe, LA 71211-4065	270439	Rural
Delcambre Telephone Company, Inc. 104 N. Corner Street Delcambre, LA 70528	270428	Rural
East Ascension Telephone Company, LLC 913 South Burnside Avenue Gonzalez, LA 70737-4258	270429	Rural
Northeast Louisiana Telephone Company, Inc. P.O. Drawer 185 Collinston, LA 71229	270435	Rural
Kaplan Telephone Company, Inc. P.O. Box 369 Kaplan, LA 70548	270432	Rural
ALLTEL Communications Wireless, Inc. P.O. Box 2177	279009	Non-Rural
Little Rock, AR 72202		

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Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc. d/b/a Pace Communications P.O. Box 369 Kaplan, LA 70548	279012	Rural
AT&T Mobility f/k/a New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC 5565 Glenridge Connector Atlanta, GA 30342	279010	Rural
ALLTEL Communications Wireless, Inc. P.O. Box 2177 Little Rock, AR 72202	279009	Rural
LBH, LLC P.O. Box 167 Sulphur, LA 70664	279014	Non-Rural
Nexus Communications 26 Forest Grove Lane Haughton, LA 71037	279020 279022	Non-Rural
Central Louisiana Cellular 170 S. Warner Road, Suite 104 Wayne, PA 19087	279041	Rural

If additional information is required, please feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Eve Kahao Gonzalez LPSC Executive Secretary

Enclosures

EKG:bmf



### Lafourche Telephone Co., LLC

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**AFFIDAVIT** 

LA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

State of Louisiana

Parish of Lafourche

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Tony Duet, President for Lafourche Telephone Company, LLC, who is duly authorized to represent Lafourche Telephone Company, LLC who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Lafourche Telephone Company, LLC is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Lafourche Telephone Company, LLC uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

Tony Duet, President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Lafourche at Larose, Louisiana, this // day of // day of // 2011.

Bennie Collins, NOTARY PUBLIC



Reserve Office 203 West 4th Street P.O. Drawer T Reserve, LA 70084-0519 Retail Office 131 Belle Terre Blvd. LaPlace, LA 70068 8:30 am - 5:00 pm M-F

Reserve Telephone Company, Inc.

Reserve (985) 536-1111 • LaPlace (985) 359-2222

www.rtconline.com

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

LA PUBLIC SERVICE

State of Louisiana

Parish of St. John the Baptist

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Scott Small, Vice-President, for Reserve Telephone Co., Inc., who is duly authorized to represent Reserve Telephone Co., Inc. who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Reserve Telephone Co., Inc. is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Reserve Telephone Co., Inc. uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

Scott Small, Vice-President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of St. John the Baptist at Reserve, Louisiana, this 17th day of August, 2011.

Scholle 1 Street V-N.C. #58124





7266 Tom Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70806

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# LA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

State of Louisiana

Parish of East 1	Baton Rouge			
BEFOR	RE ME, the undersigned n	otary public, pers	onally came and ap	peared:
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State of Louisiana

Parish of Calcasieu

2011 AUG 29 PM 4: 22 LA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

George J. Mack, President, for Elizabeth Telephone Co., LLC, who is duly authorized to represent Elizabeth Telephone Co., LLC, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Elizabeth Telephone Co., LLC, is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Elizabeth Telephone Co., LLC, uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

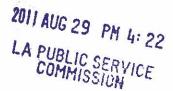
Aeorge J. Mack George J. Mack, President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of <u>Calcasieu</u> at <u>Sulphur</u>, Louisiana, this <u>Associated</u> day of June 2011.

NOTARY PUBLIC # 51506

State of Louisiana

Parish of Calcasieu



BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

George J. Mack, President, for <u>Cameron Telephone Co., LLC</u>, who is duly authorized to represent <u>Cameron Telephone Co., LLC</u>, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) <u>Cameron Telephone Co., LLC</u>, is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. <u>Cameron Telephone Co., LLC</u>, uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

George J. Mack, President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of <u>Calcasieu</u> at <u>Sulphur</u>, Louisiana, this <u>23</u> day of June 2011.

NOTARY PUBLIC # 51506



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State of Louisiana Parish of Natchitoches

**BEFORE ME**, the undersigned Notary Public, personally came and appeared: PHILIP FERNBAUGH, President of CAMPTI-PLEASANT HILL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC., who is duly authorized to represent CAMPTI-PLEASANT HILL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC., who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

> (1) CAMPTI-PLEASANT HILL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC. is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. CAMPTI-PLEASANT HILL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC. uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

> > CAMPTI-PLEASANT HILL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.

Philip Fernbaugh, President

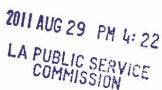
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me in the Parish of Natchitoches at Natchitoches, Louisiana this the 26 day August, 2011.

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State of Louisiana

Parish of Ouachita



BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Central Louisiana, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

TERRI GUICE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622
My Commission Expires at Death

Notary Public

State of Louisiana

Parish of Quachita



BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of North Louisiana, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(2) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this 13 day of June 2011.

TERRI GUICE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622
My Commission Expires at Death

Jevu J Notary Public

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State of Louisiana

Parish of Quachita

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of East Louisiana, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(3) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this \_\_/3\_\_\_ day of June 2011.

TERRI GUICE STATE OF LOUISIANA Union Parish Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622 My Commission Expires at Death

Notary Public

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State of Louisiana

Parish of Ouachita

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Southeast Louisiana, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(5) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this  $13^{11}$  day of June 2011.

TERRI GUICE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622
My Commission Expires at Death

Notary Public

State of Louisiana

Parish of Quachita



BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Evangeline, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(6) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this \_\_13<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011.

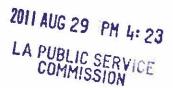
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STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622
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Notary Public

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State of Louisiana

Parish of Ouachita



BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Southwest Louisiana, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(7) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011.

TERRI GUICE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622
My Commission Expires at Death

Notary Public

State of Louisiana

Parish of Ouachita



BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Northwest Louisiana, Inc. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(8) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this  $\frac{377}{4}$  day of June 2011.

**TERRI GUICE** STATE OF LOUISIANA Union Parish Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622 My Commission Expires at Death

State of Louisiana

Parish of Ouachita

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Chatham, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(9) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this  $13^{1/2}$  day of June 2011.

TERRI GUICE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
Louisiana Bar Roll No. 8622
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Notary Public

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State of Louisiana

Parish of Ouachita

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

David D. Cole, Senior Vice President and Controller, for CenturyTel of Ringgold, LLC. dba CenturyLink ('Company'), who is duly authorized to represent the Company, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(10) The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. The Company uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

David D. Cole

Senior Vice President and Controller

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ouachita, at Monroe, Louisiana, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011.

TERRI GUICE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
Union Parish
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Notary Public

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#### AFFIDAVIT

State of Louisiana

Parish of Vermilion

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Matthew LeBlanc, President, for Delcambre Telephone Co., LLC, who is duly authorized to represent Delcambre Telephone Co., LLC. who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Delcambre Telephone Co., LLC. is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Delcambre Telephone Co., LLC. uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

Matthew Leblanc President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Vermilion at Delcambre, Louisiana, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 2011.

MOTARY PUBLIC

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#### State of Louisiana

#### Parish of Ascension

BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public, personally came and appeared:

John D. Scanlan, President and Vice Chairman for East Ascension Telephone Company, L.L.C., who being duly authorized to represent East Ascension Telephone Company, L.L.C. and, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) East Ascension Telephone Company, L.L.C. is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. East Ascension Telephone Company, L.L.C. uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

D. Scanlan, President & Vice Chairman

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Ascension at Gonzales, Louisiana, this 12 day of July, 2011.

BRITTON, NOTARY PUBLIC

Bar Roll # 23666

State of Louisiana
Parish of Movehouse
BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:
W. Michael George, President and General Manager, for Northeast Louisiana Telephone Co., Inc., who is duly authorized to represent Northeast Louisiana Telephone Co., Inc. who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:
(1) Northeast Louisiana Telephone Co., Inc. is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Northeast Louisiana Telephone Co., Inc. uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.
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Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Morelans at  Rastrop,, (city) Louisiana, this 16 day of August, 2011.
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#### **AFFIDAVIT**

State of Louisiana

Parish of Vermilion

LA PUBLIC SERVICE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Toney N. Turnley, President, for Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., who is duly authorized to represent Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

TONEY N. TURNLEY, President

Swom to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Vermilion, Louisiana, this day of Augast, 2011.

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#### WIRELESS | BROADBAND | CABLE TV | SECURITY | DIGITAL PHONE

**AFFIDAVIT** 

State of Louisiana

Parish of Vermilion

LA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Toney N. Turnley, President, for Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications, who is duly authorized to represent Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications, is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

TONEY N. TURNLEY, President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Vermilion, Louisiana, this day of August, 2011.

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STATE OF GEORGIA	)	N	LA PUBLIC SER COMMISSIO
COUNTY OF FULTON	)	) ss:	

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, appeared Mark R. Smith, who deposed and stated:

- My name is Mark R. Smith. I am the Assistant Secretary of Alltel Communications, LLC¹ ("Alltel" or "Company"). I am an officer of Alltel Communications, LLC and am authorized to give this affidavit on behalf of the Company. This affidavit is being given to support the Louisiana Public Service Commission's certification as required by 47 CFR §54.313 and §54.314.
- 2. Alltel Communications, LLC<sup>2</sup> hereby certifies that it will use all federal high-cost universal service support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Mark R. Smith

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 2011.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

(Notary Seal)

PATRICIÁ HUDSON NOTARY PUBLIS Dekats County, State of Georgia My Comm. Expires Jan. 30, 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Formerly named Alltel Communications, Inc. As of January 9, 2009 Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless acquired Alltel Corporation and its subsidiaries including Alltel Communications, LLC. In the Matter of Applications of Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless and Atlantis Holdings LLC for Consent to Transfer Control of Licenses, Authorizations and Spectrum Manager and De Facto Leasing Arrangements, WT Docket No. 08-95, File Nos. 003463892, et al., Memorandum Opinion and Order and Declaratory Order, FCC 08-258 (rel. Nov. 10, 2008).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This certification is provided by Alltel Communications, LLC on behalf of itself and its wholly owned and/or controlled subsidiaries that are designated ETC in the state of Louisiana.

# LA PUBLIC SERVICE

# AT&T MOBILITY (f/k/a CINGULAR WIRELESS) ANNUAL ETC CERTIFICATION For Calendar Year - 2012

I, Joe Larussa, being of lawful age and duly sworn, state that I serve as Vice President/General Manager of the Gulf State Region for AT&T Mobility LLC, the manager of New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC, which is the managing general partner of Acadiana Cellular General Partnership and Lafayette MSA Limited Partnership, (all collectively "Acadiana").

I hereby attest to the Louisiana Public Service Commission that I either have personal knowledge or information and belief of the facts stated herein:

All funds received by Acadiana from the federal high cost universal service support fund will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Louisiana that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: July 25, 2011

Joe Larussa

Vice President/General Manager

Gulf State Region

Subscribed and sworn to before me this (35) day of July, 2011.

Notary Public

State of Louisiana

Parish of Calcasieu

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

George J. Mack, President, for LBH, LLC, who is duly authorized to represent LBH, LLC, who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) <u>LBH, LLC</u> is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. <u>LBH, LLC</u> uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

Searge J. Mack
George J. Mack, President

Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of <u>Calcasieu</u> at <u>Sulphur</u>, Louisiana, this <u>A3ce</u> day of June 2011.

NOTARY PUBLIC # 51506

#### AFFIDAVIT OF Nexus Communications, Inc.

(Сопрапу паше)

# REGARDING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS AFFIDAVIT FOR ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS OF

STATE OF OHIO

Franklin County, Ohio

My Commission Expires

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN )
I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, state as follows:
1. I am the President of Nexus Communications, Inc. ("Carrier"), (Company name)  FCC Study Area Code 279020.
2. I am a corporate officer responsible for certifying Carrier's use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an eligible telecommunications carrier within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires states to certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this state be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.
5. Carrier hereby states that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to § 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.
(signature)
Steven Fenker (typed name)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 2011.
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Recorded in
Franklin County

## AFFIDAVIT OF Nexus Communications, Inc. (Company name)

# REGARDING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS AFFIDAVIT FOR ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS ONLY

STATE OF OHIO )
COUNTY OF FRANKLIN )
I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, state as follows:
1. I am the President of Nexus Communications, Inc. ("Carrier"), (Official title) (Company name)  FCC Study Area Code 279022 .
<ol><li>I am a corporate officer responsible for certifying Carrier's use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.</li></ol>
3. Carrier is an eligible telecommunications carrier within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires states to certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this state be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.
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(signature)
Steven Fenker (typed name)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 2011.  MUWAFEK ABDULLAH NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF OHIO Comm. Expires April 25, 2014  Recorded in Franklin County

STATE OF PA
COUNTY OF MINTEUMERY

#### AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL E. HOPKINS

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Daniel E. Hopkins, Executive Vice President/Chief Financial Officer for Central Louisiana Cellular, LLC, who is duly authorized to represent Central Louisiana Cellular, LLC who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

(1) Central Louisiana Cellular, LLC is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high-cost support. Central Louisiana Cellular, LLC uses such high-cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

Daniel E. Hopkins

Executive Vice President/

Chief Financial Officer

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 194 day of Saplember, 2011.

Notary Public

NOTARIAL SEAL SHEILA L WHITE Notary Public

UPPER MERION TWP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY
My Commission Expires Nov 30, 2014